

Protective Order Committee  
Judicial Conference of Indiana

**Minutes**  
August 21-22, 2003

The Protective Order Committee met at the Indiana Judicial Center in Indianapolis on Thursday, August 21, 2003 from 10:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. and Friday, August 22, 2003 from 8:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. at the Indiana Judicial Center.

1. Members present. Tammy Baitz, George E. Brown, Thomas H. Busch, Robert E. Lybrook, Christina J. Miller, Jerry L. Ummel and John W. Forcum, Chair
2. Staff present. Jeffrey Bercovitz and Tom Jones provided the committee with staff assistance.
3. Guests present. Ruth Hibbard, Clerk, Clinton County, and President, Clerk's Association was also present.
4. Minutes. The minutes of the meeting on July 25, 2003 were approved.
5. Protection Order Deskbook. Committee members revised the following sections of the Protection Order Deskbook: Jurisdiction, Clerk, Ex Parte Hearings and Orders, Hearings for Protection Orders, and Enforcement. They agreed to review other chapters at later meetings.
6. Next meeting dates. Committee members agreed meet at the following times: Friday, October 24, 2003 from 10:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.; Friday, January 30 and February 27, 2004 from 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. with overnight the night before the meeting paid from grant funds; March 26, April 23, and June 25, 2004 from 12:00 noon – 4:00 p.m. at the Indiana Judicial Center.

Respectfully submitted,

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